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SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: SECRETARY'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT

TOLBERT ON PUERTO RICO AND KOREA

**REF: STATE 188798** 

1. CHARGE DELIVERED SECRETARY'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT TOLBERT TO MINISTER OF STATE FOR PRESIDENTIAL AFFAIRS TOWNSEND MORNING OF JULY 30. APPOINTMENT WITH THE PRESIDENT WAS NOT POSSIBLE AS HE IS SPENDING LONG WEEKEND AT FARM IN BELEFANAI. WHEN CHARGE INDICATED HIS WILLINGNESS TO TRAVEL TO BELEFANAI TO DELIVER LETTER, TOWNSEND SAIDHE HAD ALREADY RAISED THIS POSSIBILITY WITH THE PRESIDENT BUT THAT AFTER SOME REFLECTION THE PRESIDENT BEGGED OFF BECAUSE OF FATIGUE FOLLOWING HIS HEAVY SCHEDULE OF RECENT WEEKS, INCLUDING STATE VISIT TO GERMANY AND FOUR-DAY NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS HERE. TOWNSEND SAID HE WOULD CONVEY GIST OF SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT TOLBERT AND HAVE TEXT DELIVERED TO FARM IF TOLBERT SO DESIRED. OTHERWISE HE WOULD HOLD TEXT UNTIL PRESIDENT'S RETURN MONDAY, AUGUST 2.

2. EMBASSY APPRECIATES DEPARTMENT'S PROMPT RESPONSE ITS REQUEST FOR LETTER. THERE SHOULD NOW BE NO DOUBT IN MINDS OF GOL OFFICIALS OF USG VIEWS THESE IMPORTANT ISSUES. ALSO, LETTER IS A USEFUL CONTRIBUTION FROM OUR SIDE TO CONTINUING BILATERAL DIALOGUE ON IMPORTANT ISSUES INITIA-CONFIDENTIAL

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TED WITH SECRETARY'S TRIP HERE LAST APRIL.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPARTMENT IS REQUESTED TO PASS THIS MESSAGE AND REFTEL TO GENEVA FOR AMBASSADOR CARTER.

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